TO: All X-ray Machine Registrants

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SUBJECT: X-ray Machine Inspection Frequencies

The user or person having legal administrative control of the x-ray machine(s) is required to have the machine(s) inspected according to the following schedule.

Dentists -- Every 36 Months

Podiatrists and Veterinarians -- Every 24 months

All Other Human Use Machines -- Every 12 months

New human use installations must be inspected before being used with any patients, regardless of practitioner's frequency. Other units at the facility may also be inspected at that time. (For example: a dentist's machines were inspected in 2000 and a new machine was installed in 2001. If all of the machines are inspected at that time, they will all be due for inspection again in January, 2004).

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my contact me at 317/233-7563. My e-mail address is mstiker@isdh.in.gov.